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In re application of : **Confirmation No. 6435**  
Takahisa HAYASHI : Docket No. 2003-1559A  
Serial No. 10/699,734 : Group Art Unit 2826  
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SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND  
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE  
SAME

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**ELECTION OF INVENTION**

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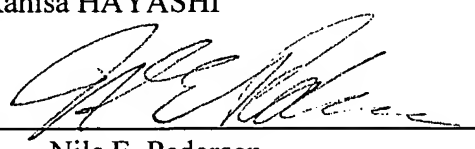
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Sir:

In response to the election of species requirement of October 20, 2004, Applicant in the above-referenced application hereby elects species II corresponding to Fig. 2. Claims 1-5 read upon the elected species.

Respectfully submitted,

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